

on being named as the Business and Industry Association Lifetime Achievement Award winner for 2001. The Business and Industry Association Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes business leaders who have demonstrated a commitment to leadership in their profession, local community and the State of New Hampshire.

Steve is the president and managing partner of the Balsams Grand Resort Hotel in Dixville Notch. Since 1971, he and his three partners have owned the operating company for the 15,000 acre resort and have restored it to its original greatness. The hotel is a four-star resort which is designated as one of the Historic Hotels of America by the National Trust for Historic Preservation.

He has been actively involved as a legendary leader in community, state and national programs and has served organizations including: director of boards for Citizens Bank-New Hampshire, New Hampshire Public Television, New Hampshire Charitable Foundation and Mary Hitchcock Memorial Hospital. Steve is also a selectman for the town of Dixville.

A graduate of Michigan State University, he holds a B.A. and also did a year of graduate study there in English and American literature.

Steve has served the citizens of New Hampshire with dedication and charity. I commend him for his success as a leader in the business community and for his countless contributions to the community at large in Dixville and the State. It is truly an honor and a privilege to represent him in the Senate.●

TRIBUTE TO SAUL GREENSPAN

● Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Saul Greenspan of Manchester, NH, on being named as the Business and Industry Association of New Hampshire's Lifetime Achievement Award winner for 2001. The Business and Industry Association Lifetime Achievement Award recognizes business leaders who have demonstrated a commitment to leadership in their profession, local community and the State of New Hampshire.

Saul is the former owner and founder of the Waumbec Mills, Inc. in Manchester, NH. He is a former director of Merchants National Bank, First New Hampshire Banks and past-president of the Business and Industry Association.

He has been an active contributor to community programs in New Hampshire including: Manchester Community Chest, now known as the Greater Manchester United Way, Jewish Community Center, Temple Adath Yeshurun, Colby-Sawyer College, Northern Textile Association, Manchester Industrial Council and the Service Corps of Retired Executives. He also established and serves as the president of the Greenspan Foundation, a program which provides annual grants to the arts, higher education, youth services and religious organizations.

A graduate of Columbia College, he is married to Ethel DeHaan Greenspan. Saul and his wife have two daughters, Barbara Greenspan Jacobson and Jill Greenspan Schiffman.

Saul Greenspan has served the citizens of New Hampshire with dedication and charity. As a former small business owner, I commend him for his success as a leader in the business community and for his generosity to the charitable organizations of the State. It is truly an honor and a privilege to represent him in the Senate.●

TRIBUTE TO RALPH H. FRISELLA

● Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Ralph Frisella of Nashua, NH, for being honored with World War II medals for acts of bravery. Ralph, a veteran of the U.S. Army, served his country with honor during World War II.

I admire the many veterans who have served America with courage and devotion. My own father, a naval aviator, was killed in a World War II related incident days before my fourth birthday.

As a Vietnam veteran, I admire the heroism of Ralph Frisella. The medals he so bravely earned while serving in the 45th Army, 180th Division in Oran, Algeria, are a tribute to his service to our Nation. He remained with the 180th Division until the end of the war and later served as an MP in Germany.

Ralph was active in World War II campaigns including: Sicily, Naples-Foggia, Anzio, Rome-Arno, southern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Alsace and Central Europe. He served 100 days of combat duty and received military medals including: Bronze Star Medal, Good Conduct Medal, American Campaign Medal, European-Middle Eastern Campaign Medal, WWII Victory Medal, Army of Occupation Medal with German Clasp, Combat Infantryman Badge and Honorable Service Lapel Button WWII.

I was honored to help Ralph secure the medals he acquired while serving in the U.S. Army during World War II. His courage and devotion to America are to be commended. It is truly an honor and a privilege to represent him in the Senate.●

TRIBUTE TO THE ROSEWOOD COUNTRY INN OF BRADFORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE

● Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Innkeepers Dick and Lesley Marquis of the Rosewood Country Inn of Bradford, NH on being named as Inn of the Year for 2002 by The Complete Guide to Bed & Breakfasts, Inns & Guesthouses in the United States, Canada and Worldwide.

I applaud the Rosewood Country Inn of Bradford for also being voted as the Most Romantic Bed & Breakfast/Country Inn by readers of Arrington's Bed & Breakfast Journal receiving top honors among more than 750 completing inns.

The Inn is located on 12 hilltop acres in the town of Bradford in the Dartmouth/Lake Sunapee Region of New Hampshire. The Rosewood offers 11 guest suites and was recognized for its sunlit porches, inviting common rooms, fireplaces and whirlpool tubs. With its early Victorian style in a historic setting, the Inn offers visitors an atmosphere of warmth and relaxation.

The Inn was founded in 1896, and was originally known as Pleasant View Farm. In the early 1900s, famous celebrities including Jack London, Gloria Swanson, Mary Pickford, Charlie Chaplin and the Gish sisters were among visitors who signed the Inn's guest register.

In the past, innkeepers Dick and Lesley have won other honors for their property being selected as One of New Hampshire's Eight Most Romantic Inns by Chronicle Books and Inn of the Year by the State of New Hampshire.

As a former small business owner, I commend Dick and Lesley for their entrepreneurial excellence and success. The people of New Hampshire and the country continue to enjoy the superior ambiance and hospitality at the Rosewood Inn each year. I congratulate the Rosewood Country Inn of Bradford and Dick and Lesley for their notable achievements in the hospitality industry and wish them continued success in the future. It is truly an honor and a privilege to represent them in the Senate.●

TRIBUTE TO MSGR. JOHN MOLAN

● Mr. SMITH of New Hampshire. Mr. President, I rise today to pay tribute to Msgr. John Molan of Manchester, NH, for being awarded the Catholic Leadership Award from Saint Anselm College in Manchester, NH.

Msgr. Molan graduated from Saint Anselm College in Manchester and went on to study at Saint Mary's Seminary in Baltimore, MD, where he received a master's degree in social work. In his vocational career he has served many areas of the church including: director of Catholic Charities, pastor of several parishes, and vicar general of the diocese.

A veteran of World War II, he served as chaplain of the New Hampshire National Guard and was a member of the U.S. Army Reserve. As the son of a naval aviator who was killed in a World War II incident and a Vietnam veteran, I applaud Msgr. Molan's selfless dedication to America.

Msgr. Molan has served the citizens of New Hampshire with care and concern. I commend Msgr. Molan for being recognized for his outstanding service to the church and community and thank him for making a positive difference in the lives of so many of his brothers and sisters in the State. It is truly an honor and a privilege to represent him in the Senate.●